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Police investigating traffic collision with injuries in Woodbine

Howard County police are investigating a traffic collision in Woodbine that left an adult male with serious injuries.

Police were called to Newport Road at the Howard/Carroll County line at approximately 1:40 p.m. for a report that an adult male had been riding on the exterior of a friend's 1990 Mercury Grand Marquis when he fell off and struck the road. It does not appear he was struck by the vehicle. The investigation is ongoing.

The victim, Shawn Christopher Shifflett, 28, of Westminster, was flown to the University of Maryland Shock Trauma Center with serious injuries.

The driver, Justin Steven Young, 29, of Westminster, remained at the scene.

Newport Road was closed at the county line for approximately two and a half hours.

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